

**Senate Standing Committee on Environment and Communications
Legislation Committee**
Answers to questions on notice
Environment portfolio

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ARRANGEMENTS PROTECTING THE GREAT BARRIER REEF
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Senator Waters asked:

Given that the Strategic Assessments were officially finalised on 11 August, how was the WHC recommendation referred to above adhered to?

a. If the review was received by the Department prior to 11 August, why did the Department chose to release the review weeks later in September?

Answer:

Refer to Supplementary Budget Estimates Question 115.